	Exhibit I
Declaration of Greg Taylor, Esq.	

## Declaration of Greg L. Taylor, Esq.

- My name is Greg L. Taylor and I am over 21 years of age. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
- 2. I was admitted to the practice of law in April 2000.
- 3. I am an experienced federal court litigator.
- 4. I have been directly involved in many meet and confer communications.
- 5. I appeared on behalf of Defendants in the telephonic meet and confer that occurred on or about July 15, 2025. I was the only attorney present on behalf of Defendants.
- 6. Counsel to Plaintiffs representing Lead States and States with State Law Claims were present during the call.
- 7. Plaintiffs immediately took control of the call, essentially preventing me from having substantive input on any of the meet and confer issues.
- 8. Plaintiffs refused to provide substantive responses to the meet and confer issues of concern to Defendants, instead demanding repeatedly to know why I insisted on having all parties attend.
- 9. For example, Plaintiffs refused to engage substantively as to why they were refusing to designate 30(b)(6) witnesses.
- 10. Plaintiffs' refusal to engage and their tactic of "overspeaking" continued for approximately 20 minutes.
- 11. Rather than allow the process to deteriorate further, I terminated the call reserving all rights.
- 12. The concerns arising from this meet and confer session have led Defendants

to advise Plaintiffs that all future meet and confer engagements will occur only in writing.

I declare the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Date: September 12, 2025

Greg L. Taylor